

GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
A B S T R A C T

Public Servants- AIS – Sri R.V. Rao, IFS (80), formerly Divisional Forest Officer, Bhadrachalam (North) – Disciplinary proceedings – Further action dropped – Orders - Issued.

GENERAL ADMINISTRATION (SC.D) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No. 1231

Dated: 12-03-2010.

Read the following:

1. G.O.Rt.No.2261, Genl. Admn. (SC.D) Deptt., Dt: 16.04.2008.
2. From Sri R.V. Rao, IFS, Written Statement of Defence dated: 28.08.2008.

ORDER:

In the G.O.1st read above, the following charges were framed against Sri R.V. Rao, IFS, formerly Divisional Forest Officer, Bhadrachalam (North) and he was directed to submit his Written Statement of defence thereon:-

"Sri R.Venkateswara Rao, IFS (80) while working as Divisional Forest Officer, Bhadrachalam (North) during the period from 31.3.1999 to 9.9.2002 has committed gross neglect of duty as mentioned in the following Articles of charge:

Article – I:

That the MOS exhibited gross neglect of duty by allowing the staff to book the expenditure without execution of works thereby allowed the staff to misappropriate the Government amount.

Article – II:

That the MOS exhibited gross neglect of duty, allowed the subordinates to keep huge cash balance for months together without utilizing for the purpose for which it was given, resulting in temporary misappropriation of Government Funds and violation of financial code

Article – III:

That the MOS exhibited gross negligence of duty by diverting the funds to a tune of Rs.34,183/- without proper authority, resulting in financial irregularity.

Thus, the MOS failed to maintain absolute integrity, devotion of duty and exhibited conduct unbecoming of a Member of Service in violation of rule 3(2) of the All India Services (Conduct) Rules, 1968."

2. In the reference 2nd read above, the Member of Service has submitted his Written Statement of defence denying the charges on the grounds stated therein.

3. Government after careful examination of the entire matter have considered the Written Statement of Defence submitted by the Member of Service as satisfactory and decided to drop further action against Sri R.V. Rao, IFS, formerly Divisional Forest Officer, Bhadrachalam (North) in the above matter. Accordingly, Government hereby drop further action against Sri R.V. Rao, IFS, formerly Divisional Forest Officer, Bhadrachalam (North) in the above matter.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

**S.V. PRASAD
CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT**

To
Sri R.V. Rao, IFS,
through the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (Head of Forest Force), Andhra Pradesh, Hyderabad.
The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (Head of Forest Force),
Andhra Pradesh, Hyderabad.

Copy to:-

The Secretary to Government of India,
Ministry of Environment & Forests,
Paryavaran Bhavan, C.G.O.complex, Lodhi Road, New Delhi.
The Accountant General, Andhra Pradesh, Hyderabad.
The Environment, Forests, Science and Technology Department.
The General Administration (SC.IFS)/(SC.E) Dept.
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